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CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

Cases Decided or Otherwise Disposed of at the Regular October Term Last Week

Geo. S. Reed vs. county court of Livingston, continued.
Daniel Ambs, naturalized.
Ladislau Vladimir Bruice, naturalized.
Alma Thomas vs. Standard Oil Company, continued.
Cora Thomas vs. Standard Oil Company, continued.
Silas Thomas vs. Standard Oil Company, continued.
Ida F. Hartman vs. John W. Rawlings, dismissed.
M. G. Prough vs. Farmers' Fire and Lightning Insurance Company, dismissed for want of prosecution.
State of Missouri vs. Ewing Long, dismissed.
Powers & Moore vs. Belle Hersman, continued.
Browning Mercantile Company, ordered dissolved.
C. A. Fleming vs. C. B. & Q. Railroad Company, change of venue to Putnam county circuit court.
Ed. Parsley vs. M. L. Grimes, nonsuit.
S. J. Gelski vs. Matha T. Wallace et al, tried by court, decree granted, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
Harvey A. Crance vs. James J. Harris et al, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
S. Stanfield vs. John B. Helm et al, tried by court, deed of trust cancelled, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
Mary J. Stafford vs. M. M. Geren, continued.
George B. Miller vs. Amberry A. Rankin et al, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
Glenwood Dickinson vs. E. W. Weed et al, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
Elizabeth J. Wilkinson vs. Sophia Leak et al, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
Essie Newman vs. Cassius Newman, non suit.
State of Missouri vs. John Biswell, continued.
State of Missouri vs. John Golden, continued.
State of Missouri vs. William Losh, tried by jury, fined \$100. The cost amounting to \$156 was paid by defendant and execution for amount of fine is stayed until further order of this court and upon condition that the defendant does not further violate the law.
Ira P. Street vs. Joseph Cline, continued.
Lena McLaughlin vs. P. J. McGinness, continued.
W. R. Shane vs. Sidney Sherrell, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
James Hrabe vs. the unknown heirs of Peter Ausmus, deceased, et al, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
Sarah J. Drummed vs. the unknown heirs of John F. Pershing, deceased, et al, tried by court, title quieted and vested in plaintiff.
State of Missouri vs. Joseph Sill, tried by jury, the defendant found guilty as charged and fined \$100.
State of Missouri vs. Moses Sill, ordered that the defendant be discharged.
Stella Free vs. John Free, tried by court, plaintiff divorced and given custody of minor child.
W. Warren vs. Dolly Ray Warren, tried by court, defendant divorced and given custody of minor child.
C. E. Jenkins vs. R. W. McElroy, continued, costs paid and dis-

missed.
O. Kearns vs. L. D. Ball et al, continued.
A. E. Bettelheim vs. C. B. & Q. Railroad Company, judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$95.
William H. Humphreys vs. Hiram K. Bargar, compromised and dismissed.
W. R. Shane vs. Kate Roach et al, continued.
Chas. L. Spalding vs. Halliburton-Hartman Dry Goods Company, verdict for the defendant.
Bert Hartley et al vs. Theodore Johnson, jury verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$475.60 to bear interest from date.
C. E. Jenkins vs. J. B. Edwards and wife, judgment of \$1.50 for plaintiff.
Jack S. Blakely vs. Alfred Von Cotzhausen et al, jury verdict for plaintiff in sum of \$155.
Amenda E. Ware vs. Oscar Dunlap et al, jury verdict of \$180 for plaintiff.
Jack S. Blakely vs. Alfred Von Cotzhausen et al, jury verdict of \$95 for plaintiff.
E. T. Thompson vs. John King et al, continued.
Zelmer Z. Helm vs. C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., continued.
James McLaughlin vs. estate of William McLaughlin, deceased; appeal dismissed.
Nettie Davis vs. Commodore Davis, plaintiff divorced and restored to former name of Nettie Watson. Judgment for \$500 alimony.
Janette Kinman vs. E. D. Butterfield et al, judgment for \$1000 and \$110.40 and to bear interest.
P. H. Johnson vs. F. H. Johnson et al, trustee's deed, etc., set aside and title quieted, plaintiff to pay costs.
Lillie Wombwell vs. Chas. Wombwell; plaintiff divorced, awarded care and custody of minor child and \$600 alimony to be paid at the rate of \$15 per month, plaintiff to pay costs.
Eva J. Burch vs. Herbert W. Burch, plaintiff divorced and awarded \$1200 alimony.
B. F. Barker vs. unknown heirs of David Alexander et al, deed of trust ordered canceled and title quieted, plaintiff paying the costs.
Nancy C. Peters vs. Lewis J. Peters; plaintiff divorced, awarded care and custody of minor children and \$1500 alimony, plaintiff to pay costs.
Pearl Fletcher vs. Joseph Fletcher, Jr., continued.
Anna M. Mills vs. W. H. Mills; plaintiff divorced, awarded care and custody of minor children and \$1500 alimony.
Thomas Craig vs. Betty Craig, continued.
Charles B. Thompson vs. James Daugherty et al, title quieted.
Stella F. Free vs. John P. Free; plaintiff divorced and awarded care and custody of minor child, plaintiff paying costs.
Court adjourned Saturday to reconvene in Brookfield Tuesday, October 18.
Laclede Mill Has Reduced Prices on All Feed Arms & Kidder high
patent flour.....\$1.40 per sack
Corn chops.....\$1.40 per cwt
White shorts.....1.35 per cwt
Bran.....1.25 per cwt
Corn and oats.....1.40 per cwt
Corn, oats and bran.....1.34 per cwt
Ear or shelled corn.....70c per bu
Fresh bolted corn meal.....2c per lb
New granitoid walks have been put in this week along the property of J. H. Dick and F. C. Stahelin near the Burlington station.

TOWN AND COUNTRY IN BRIEF

Local Events of The Past Week Recorded For Busy Blade Readers.

The Laclede high school football team will go to Shelby Saturday to play the strong high school team at that place.
The city has had new concrete crossings put in this week east of J. W. Lomax's residence and near William Kraft's.
We have at last secured a good Forker correspondent and would like to have one in each school district. Want a job?
Dr. Z. T. Standly has leased the rooms over Groes' grocery store to a Kansas City dentist, who will take possession in a few days.
F. W. Groes and family moved to town this week and they are now at home in the residence which they bought from Mrs. Spencer a few days ago.
The local W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Patrick next Tuesday, October 18, at 2 p. m. Please be prompt. Everybody is invited to attend these meetings.
C. F. Tobey will hold a public sale of stock and farm machinery, feed, etc., at his farm 2½ miles southeast of town Thursday, October 27. See list in another column.
The W. C. T. U. will meet each Tuesday until after election. Saturday, November 5, is rally day for Missouri. Laclede is going to celebrate. A parade, public speaking and music will be arranged for.
Among the good Linn county farmers who attended the live stock show at Kansas City this week were J. L. Mouser and Z. R. Kling of route one and E. R. Barton, O. A. Potter and Geo. L. Kranz of route two.
I. B. Campbell has bought a grocery store at Sumner and moved there with his family this week. They are nice people and, while we are sorry to lose them as citizens here, we heartily recommend them to the good people of Sumner.
In ordering the BLADE sent to his address for the next year, F. C. Stahelin of Bridgman, Mich., says that they are well and prospering and sends regards to their many old Laclede friends. Mrs. Stahelin was formerly Miss Rowena Brunner of Laclede.
The new street across the south end of the new part of the cemetery was opened up this week and the fence moved to the new line. The trees have been cut and the old fences removed and the new cemetery will soon be in as good condition as the old.
E. W. Moore a few days ago received a check for the full amount of his claim against the Woodmen Accident association of Lincoln, Neb., for an injury to his ankle received July 28 while working in the bridge department of the Burlington, which laid him up for about three weeks. This company is a good one and pays all claims promptly.
Several of our subscribers and former citizens have changed their address in the past few days and their many old friends will like to know their present address. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wells are now at Elmendorf, Texas; H. A. Hobbs and family have moved to Redlake, N. Mex.; E. P. Pennoyer and family are at Aurora, Mo.; and Ira Peer has moved to his new farm at Randall, Kansas.

Some Evening Reveries.

Young men, the first question your employers ask themselves when business becomes slack and it is thought necessary to economize in the matter of salaries is, "Who can best be spared?" The barnacles, the shirks, the makeshifts, somebody's proteges, somebody's nephews, and especially somebody's good-for-nothing young men, please remember that these are not the ones who are called for when responsible positions are to be filled. Would you like to gauge your own future for a position of prominence? Would you like to know the probabilities of your own getting such a position? Inquire within! What are you doing to make yourself valuable in the position you now occupy? If you are doing with your might what your hands find to do, the chances are two to one that you soon become so valuable in that position that you cannot be spared from it, and then, singular to relate, will be the very time when you will be sought out for promotion for a better place.

Southwest Postal Association

Postmaster and Mrs. A. J. Caywood spent the first part of this week in Kansas City attending the convention of the Southwest Postal Association, composed of the postal employees of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska. Others from Linn county were Postmaster and Mrs. Ormiston, of Linneus, Postmasters Jones of Brookfield, Hughes of Bucklin, Wolfe of Marceline and four rural carriers from the Marceline office. There were nearly 3000 postal employees in attendance including postmasters, assistant postmasters, railway mail clerks, city and rural carriers. Schools of instructions for the various branches of the services were held conducted by First and Fourth Assistant Postmaster Generals Grandfield and DeGraw, superintendent of salaries and allowances, superintendent of classification and superintendent of registration all there from Washington for that purpose. The object of the meeting was to promote efficiency in the service and will no doubt result in much good. The convention was addressed by Senator Warner of Missouri, Congressman Clark of Kansas and others of national prominence.

Death of Mrs. I. H. Clough

Mrs. Isaac Clough, who has been seriously ill for some months, died at the family home near Forker Tuesday night. Funeral services were held at the home yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Clough was a splendid woman and was loved by all who knew her, and the whole community sympathizes with the family in their bereavement.

School Report

Following is the report of Laclede schools for the month ending October 7, 1910: Enrollment, male 88, female 105, total 193. Number days attended by all pupils 3676, average 183. Number attending every day 138; number absent 5 or more days 9; tardies 8; truancy 0; corporal punishment 0.

E. L. HORTON, Supt.

Buy a Fine Animal

Jones Bros. sold a fine Holstein to E. E. Mason last week at a fancy price. Mr. Mason is one of our best farmers and is building up his dairy herd in the right way—by heading his herd with a registered sire.

Box supper at Plum Grove school house, Saturday evening, Oct. 22.

BUSY REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

Holding Good Meetings Every Night—Where They Will Speak Next Week

The republican county candidates started their speaking tour Wednesday night with a good meeting at Duncan school house in the northwest part of the county and spoke yesterday afternoon at Haseville and at night at Shafter. Tonight they will hold a meeting at Purdin and tomorrow night at Browning. Next week they will swing over to the eastern side of the county and will hold a meeting Monday night at North Salem, Tuesday night at Shelby, Wednesday night at Price school house, Thursday night at New Boston, Friday night at Hackler school house and Saturday night at St. Catherine.
Our candidates are a fine bunch and they ought to have the support of every man who hears them. Every one of them is well qualified for the office he seeks and they are all clean, honest, upright men. You will make no mistake in electing them to office. They will be very glad if you find it convenient to attend their meetings, and, while not all are natural orators, they will have something to tell you that will be worth your while.
Other meetings will be announced as they are arranged for and if you find it impossible to attend the meetings announced above, you may be able to attend some of the later meetings nearer home, and, regardless of politics, you cannot be hurt by attending.

Death of Silas Bridges

Silas Bridges, who with his wife removed to Washington, Iowa, last spring, died at his home in that city Sunday evening, October 2, and was buried at Kossuth Tuesday, funeral services being held at the home of his brother, Vincent, conducted by Rev. M. E. Reusch of the M. E. church.

Mr. Bridges was born in Washington county, Ohio, Sept. 26, 1836, and moved to Iowa in 1854, residing in and near Medapolis until 1904, when he came to Missouri, returning to Iowa last spring. He married Miss Abigail Bridges in 1865, to which union two children were born. Mrs. Bridges died in 1872, and in 1883 he married Miss Eunice Norton, who, with one daughter, survives him.

During his residence here he made many friends, who extend their sympathy to the bereaved family. He was a good citizen, an obliging neighbor and an honorable, upright man.

Death of E. E. Stanard

A telegram was received by relatives in this city Monday which announced the sudden death of E. E. Stanard on Sunday, October 2, at his home in Portland, Oregon. Death was due to heart failure. Mr. Stanard was a resident of this vicinity for many years and for a great many years was a traveling salesman for a wholesale paint company. He had been advised some time ago by his physician that his heart was in very bad condition and that death might be sudden. His bereaved family has the sympathy of many friends in this county in this their heavy sorrow.—News.

For Sale

Fifty ewes, 65 lambs, 1 Shropshire ram.
G. E. BRUNS.